

CITY OF BEAVERTON

HUMAN RIGHTS AWARD NOMINATION FORM

Do you know an individual, community organization, business organization, and/or non-profit group who has promoted defense or protection or advocacy for human rights, diversity and cultural understanding in the City of Beaverton and our local community?

The City of Beaverton Human Rights Advisory Commission would like to recognize their contributions to our community through the City of Beaverton Human Rights Award. Award recipients will be recognized with a reception and presentation at a January 2012 City Council Meeting.

RULES & ELIGIBILITY

- Nominations should reflect human rights achievements by a specific person or organization through specific work with other individuals or groups, or through a specific product or activity that has a visible, tangible, or measurable impact on the perception of, attitude toward, respect for, and treatment of other persons.
- Nominated individuals or groups should have been engaged in this activity for an extended period of time, with significant activity within the Beaverton Urban Services Boundary during the award calendar year. Significant contributions to our community over time will be strongly considered.
- Nominations should be made to the City of Beaverton Human Rights Advisory Commission in writing on the proper nomination form.
- You may submit as many separate nominations as desired.
- The nominator must sign the nomination form and complete the form where applicable.
- Additional relevant information, e.g., letters of support, newspaper clippings, photographs, etc. may be submitted with the nomination form.
- All nominations and materials become the property of the City of Beaverton Human Rights Advisory Commission and will not be returned.
- The nominee must live, work, or be located within the Beaverton Urban Services Boundary.
- The Human Rights Advisory Commission will screen and judge the nominations. The decision of the Commission will be final.
- Nominations for the City of Beaverton Human Rights Award may be submitted anytime prior to 12:00 noon on Monday, November 14, 2011.
- Submissions should be faxed to 503-526-2572 or mailed to Human Rights Advisory Commission, City of Beaverton, PO Box 4755, Beaverton, OR 97076.

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EXAMPLES OF CRITERIA TO BE USED MAY INCLUDE:

1. INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

To be presented to an individual who has:

- demonstrated dedication and commitment to advocating and protecting human and civil rights;
- led the development of contemporary measures to fight discrimination and prejudice and the effects of past discrimination; and/or
- fostered positive communication and actively promoted inter-group relations among persons of different races, ages, ethnic origin, gender, sexual orientations, religious backgrounds, or physical and mental abilities.

2. BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY AWARDS

To be presented to a business or industry that has:

- developed and implemented an effective equal opportunity or affirmative action program as demonstrated by a diversified work force in which all persons are afforded opportunities for employment and upward mobility, regardless of race, ethnic origin, gender, religion, age, sexual orientation, disability, or any other prohibited basis of discrimination; and
- demonstrated corporate responsibility by devoting resources for the improvement of the Beaverton community at large.

3. COMMUNITY GROUPS AND NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

To be presented to a community group or non-profit organization that has:

- demonstrated sustained commitment to the raising of the level of awareness and concern for the values and importance of human rights;
- advocated the development and improvement of legal mechanisms to protect basic human and civil rights; and/or
- established programs to educate and inform members of the community of their human and civil rights.

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NOMINEE'S INFORMATION

Nominee's Name: _____

Contact Person if organization/group: _____

Category of organization/group if applicable (i.e. community group, non-profit,
business etc.) _____

Daytime phone: _____

Evening Phone: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

NOMINATOR'S INFORMATION

Nominator's Name: _____

Daytime phone: _____

Evening Phone: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Nominator's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please describe the unique nature of the nominee's contribution to the City of Beaverton community. What was accomplished? How was it accomplished? How has it impacted diversity and human rights in the City of Beaverton?

Attach additional pages if necessary. Additional relevant information, for example letters of support, newspaper clippings, photographs, etc. may be included with the nomination form.

Sincerely,

City of Beaverton
Human Rights Advisory Commission